



Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 7965.0004-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re A	pplication of:			
James	B. GODDARD et al.) Group Art Unit: 3672		
Applic	ation No.: 10/037,219	Examiner: G. Collins		
Filed:	November 9, 2001			
For:	PIPE HAVING WATER -TIGHT)) Confirmation No.: 5658)		

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of October 23, 2006. The items checked below are appropriate:

The claims are calculated below:

Claims Remaining		Highest Number	Present	Rate	Additional	
After Amendment		Previously Paid	Extra		Fee	
34	•	36	0	x \$ 50	\$	
9	-	7	2	x \$200	400.00	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim(s) +\$360						
Subtotal						
Reduction by ½ if small entity						
				TOTAL	\$ 400.00	
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A fee of \$400.00 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is \boxtimes enclosed.

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Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-09 6.

Dated: January 11, 2007



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Box NON-FEE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	

AMENDMENT

In reply to the Office Action dated October 23, 2006, the non-fee period for response to which extends through January 23, 2007, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.

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